

BETHEL PARKS & RECREATION

Activities for Summer 2016

Check out our
ONLINE REGISTRATION
At www.bethel-ct.gov

- *Go to the Parks and Rec. Department
- *Click on the NEW Program Registration Link

Online registration opens
Monday, May 16th
at 1:00pm

IN PERSON REGISTRATION BEGINS

Monday, May 16th
From 9:00am-4:30pm

*****NO REFUNDS AFTER FIRST CLASS *****
Cancellations must be made in writing.



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CLIFFORD J. HURGIN MUNICIPAL CENTER, 1 SCHOOL STREET, BETHEL, CT 06801
PHONE: 203-794-8531 • FAX: 203-778-7519

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

SUMMER REGISTRATION

DATE: Monday, May 16th
TIME: 9:00 A.M. – 4:30 P.M.
LOCATION: Municipal Center Parks & Rec. Office
DEADLINE: **You must register at least 2 weeks prior to program starting.**

CAMP DEADLINE: Week 1 & 2: When we reach our limit or June 17th
Weeks 3-6: July 5th

All participants must be registered before the first day of the program. Once a program has begun, no registrations will be accepted.



OFFICE HOURS

8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Please note: The night staff is not permitted to take registrations or payments.



MAIL IN REGISTRATION

Mail in or drop off registration will not be processed until Tuesday, May 17th and could be subject to a waiting list.



LATE FEE

A \$10 late fee per program will be assessed for all registrations submitted after the deadline date. *Programs may reach maximum capacity before the deadline date – early registration is recommended.*

NON-RESIDENT

Registrations for non-residents will not be accepted until Friday, May 27th (not including Summer Camp) for an additional \$15.00.

AGE REQUIREMENT

Children must meet the age requirement within the session of the program for which they're registered. Proof of age may be required.

SENIOR CITIZEN DISCOUNT

Participants ages 60 and up are eligible for a \$10 discount **per person** (not activity) excluding trips and health exercise classes under \$50.00.



Staff

Eileen Earle, Director
Rachael McGrath, Recreation Supervisor
Janet Beote, Secretary
Maureen DeFazio, Program Coordinator

Parks Staff

Troy Andros
Jim Robinson
Matt Hunt

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

All Bethel Parks and Recreation programs are inclusive. We are committed to assuring equal access to programs, activities and services to all individuals. During the course of our programs we may be, at times, taking photos or filming the activities and its participants for instructional purposes or Public Television. For more information, please contact the office at 794-8531.

CANCELLATION POLICY

If Bethel schools are closed or cancelled, all Parks and Recreation programs will be cancelled. Athletic fields may close due to inclement weather. The cancellation information may be obtained by calling us at 794-8531 and choosing option #1.

WEEKEND CANCELLATIONS

Please contact your SPORTS ASSOCIATION or COACH.

Bethel Baseball Association
www.bethel-baseball.com

Bethel Youth Soccer Association
www.bethelsoccer.org

Bethel Softball Association
www.leaguelineup.com/bethelsoftball

Bethel Youth Lacrosse Association
www.bethellacrosse.com

Bethel Youth Football
www.bethelyouthwildcats.com

Bethel Women's Softball
www.eteamz.com/bethelsoftballwomen



REFUND POLICY /RETURN CHECK

Return check charge fee is \$28.00. All refunds are subject to a \$10 administration surcharge.

If the Parks & Recreation Department cancels a program a full refund is given. No refunds will be given after the first class, unless extenuating circumstances arises.

Commission

Meghan O'Connor, Chairperson
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NYSCA Clinic & Background Checks

All parents interested in coaching or helping out with any sports **MUST** be certified by the NYSCA, and have a yearly background check. You may renew, add a sport or take the initial clinic online. You will need your membership number if you're currently certified.

You can find a link on how to get NYSCA certified, and the link to our online background check on our website:

1. www.bethel-ct.gov
2. Go to the Parks and Rec. Department
3. Under Additional Links click on "Coaches Certification and Background Check"



Please contact our office if you have any questions at 203-794-8531

Special Offers

Discount Lake Compounce

We are pleased to offer you the opportunity to purchase discounted tickets to Lake Compounce Amusement Park.

Tickets will be available beginning June 1st until August 24th and can be used for daily admission through September 1, 2016.



Lake Compounce Fee: \$30.00 per ticket Adult & Junior

Movie Nights

Movie Nights on the Municipal Center Front Lawn are BACK!!

Admission is FREE. Bring your family and friends along with blankets and chairs.

The **movie begins at dusk**, **BUT** there will be a popcorn and drink concession stand starting at 7:00pm.

June 30th Minions (rated PG)
July 28th Inside Out (rated PG)



Swim Team

Bethel Parks & Recreation will be partnering with the Danbury Dolphins swim club for this summer, 2016. The Dolphins are a competitive summer swim program for swimmers of all levels ages 6-16. If you are interested in finding out more information (practice times, fees, etc) please contact team coordinator Karen at danburydolphins@hotmail.com



Brookfield Swim Lessons, Beach and Boat Pass Information

Information regarding Brookfield Town Park use can be found on the town's website, www.bethel-ct.gov

Choose the Department tab, then on the left side choose Parks and Recreation. Located on the right side there will be a link with the Brookfield information.



ENGINEERING FOR KIDS

Engineering for Kids provides a fun, hands-on, inquiry based academic enrichment program focused on Science, Technology, Engineering and Math.

Minimum Number of campers 8 Max: 14-20

Grades: 3rd – 8th.

Dates: August 15th – 19th

Rockets & More

Time: 9:00am-12:00pm

During the Aerospace Engineering camp, students use the Engineering Design Process to design, create, test, and refine a variety of flying machines. They construct a shock absorbing system designed to protect two marshmallow astronauts in a lunar vehicle, create their own air powered rockets, and Blimps!

Electronic Game Design, Alien Invasion

Time: 1:00pm-4:00pm

Invader Defense class, we will create our own version of an invader defense game where we will defend against an invasion. We will use the Engineering Design Process to create a storyboard to outline the rules of play and characters for our game. Then, we will use Clickteam Fusion 2.5® to bring our storyboard to life with programming. At the end of the class, everyone takes home a working Windows - compatible game (Click team Fusion 2.5® does not support Mac or Android operating systems)

Fee: \$200 for 1 half day program (includes \$40 supply fee)

\$300 for full day program (includes \$50 supply fee)

Location: Municipal Center G.P. Room

***Full Day participants should bring a bag lunch**

Yoga in the Park

Join Raffaella for a mixed level Vinyasa Yoga class outdoors at Meckauer Park. The class will focus on the fundamental principles of an alignment based yoga practice that will allow the mind to quiet as students connect breath with movement. All level welcome! Wear comfortable clothing, bring a mat and water bottle.

Day: Saturday

Dates: 6/11 – 7/16

Time: 9:00am-10:00am

Fee: \$60

Place: Meckauer Park

Instructor: Raffaella Arcomone, 200-RYT certified

Ready, Set, Go to Kindergarten

This class is for children entering **Kindergarten in the fall of 2016**. It will be one week of fun and work refreshing old and new skills for the start of the school year. Class will cover letter recognition, sequencing, patterns, graphing and much, much more.

Minimum of 10 students and a maximum of 20.

Day: Mon. – Fri.

Date: 8/15-8/19

Time: 9:00a.m.-12:00p.m.

Fee: \$100

Place: Municipal Center G.P. Room

Instructor: Sharon Dibuono



Field Hockey Camp

Do you want to learn how to play field hockey? Join former BHS players & current college players to learn (or master) new and exciting drills and the rules of the game.

What you need to bring to camp: Stick, mouth guard, shin guards, eye goggles and a water bottle. (Sticks can be borrowed)

Grades: 5th – 9th

Day: Mon. – Thurs.

Dates: 6/20-6/23

Time: 9:00am-12:00pm

Rain Date: 6/24

Fee: \$125 (includes t-shirt)

Place: Rockwell Field

Instructor: Reece Freebairn, Shenandoah University

Former BHS Varsity Field Hockey Captain

Volleyball Camp



Volleyball is a popular sport that is played professionally, as well as in recreational leagues, on school teams, in backyards, sandlots, or beaches!

So come join a fun week for **boys and girls** in **grades 4-9!** This camp will teach the basic skills of volleyball including serving, setting, bumping, etc. Instruction will take place first then games. **Grades: 4th – 9th**

Day: Mon. – Fri.

Dates: 8/8-8/12

Time: 9:00am-12:00pm

Fee: \$125 (includes t-shirt)

Place: Municipal Center Gym

Instructor: Amy Gusitsch

Volleyball Open Gym

Come play some volleyball this summer at the Municipal Center Gym! You **MUST** be registered to participate, but you can pay as you go. Teams will be formed based on participant's skill level each night.

Day: Thursday

Dates: 7/7-8/4

Time: 5:30-7:00 **grades 5-8**

Fee: \$2 per night

7:00-8:30 **grades 9-12**

Place: Municipal Center Gym



Bethel Wrestling Camp

The Bethel Wrestling Camp is for grades K-8.

Dates: 6/27-7/1

Time: 6:00-8:00p.m.

Fee: \$100.00, second child \$75.00

Place: Bethel Municipal Center G.P. Rm.

****Current wrestlers that sign up a friend will be able to register for \$80, with the same deal for their friend!!****

Wrestling Shoes required

For more info, questions, and to **sign up go** to the BYWC website: www.bethelyouthwrestlingclub.com

Basketball Open Gym



Come play some basketball this summer at the Municipal Center Gym! You **MUST** be registered to participate, but you can pay as you go.

Day: Wednesday

Dates: 7/6-8/3

Time: 5:30-7:00 **grades 5-8**

7:00-8:30 **grades 9-12**

Place: Municipal Center Gym Fee: \$2 per night

Basketball Camp

Looking for a week of fun and basketball? Bethel High School Head coaches Dennis Morsey and Anderson Rawlins, along with current High School Players, will be hosting one week for boys **entering 5th-9th grades** and one week for **girls entering 5th-9th grades**.

Camps will involve individual player skills, working on knowledge of the game, daily competitions and full court games. **SPACE IS LIMITED SO DON'T WAIT!!**

Boys Grades 5-9

Dates: 6/20-6/24

Girls Grades 5-9

Dates: 6/27-7/1

Days: Mon. – Fri.

Time: 9:00am – 3:00pm

Fee: \$150 (siblings are 50% off)

Place: Bethel High School Gym



*Drop off begins at 8:30am. Lunch from 12-1 (Bring a lunch or buy a slice of pizza for \$2.)

Martial Arts

Lil Dragons (Ages 5-6) & Junior Beginners (Ages 7-12)

****This program is a one time ONLY sign-up. If you have taken this class in the past – you cannot take it again.****

This program will introduce your child to the great benefits of the martial arts like focus, discipline, respect, physical fitness, confidence, self-defense and safety. **Class is twice a week.**

Days available: (Must write down which 2 days)

Lil Dragons ages 5-6

Junior Beginners ages 7-12

Mon. 4:30-5:00

Mon. 5:00-5:45

Tues. 5:45-6:15

Tues. 6:15-7:00

Wed. 4:30-5:00

Wed. 5:00-5:45

Thurs. 5:45-6:15

Thurs. 6:15-7:00

Fri. 4:00-4:30

Fri. 4:30-5:00



Dates: 6/20-7/29

No Class: 7/4

Fee: \$69 (6 weeks)

Place: Bethel Academy of Martial Arts

Students must purchase a uniform from Bethel Academy of Martial Arts before starting the program:

Please call: 203-792-1050

Youth Track & Field Series

A Youth Track Series will be offered this summer on **Wednesday evenings, July 6th, 13th, 20th & 27th** for children **3 years of age thru 8th grade**.

EVENTS:

50M Dash – 5 and under

400M Dash

100M Dash

800M Run

200M Dash

Mile Run

50M Mini hurdles

Field clinics will be offered following the completion of the races: Long Jump, High Jump, Mini Jav. and Shot Put.

Registration is at 5:30 p.m. the night of the race.

Events start at 6:00 p.m. Maximum 3 events.

Fee: \$2.00 per athlete for the 1st three meets

\$5.00 per athlete for July 27th with entry being donated to MLD research in the memory of Oliver Ciparelli.

Fees are paid at the track the day of the meet.

Instructor: Yvonne Grimes

Tennis

Tennis Clinics

Bethel welcomes back Camp Director Greg Sansonetti for his tenth season alongside his exceptional adult staff. For more information on Bethel tennis programs, contact Lindsay Szuch at 203.916.3013 or Greg at 203.414.9453 or visit www.fairfieldcountytennisset.net

Classes will be held on **TUESDAYS** at the Tennis courts by the HS baseball field.

Session 1: June 21 – July 12 Rain date: 7/19

Session 2: July 26 – August 16 Rain date: 8/23

Minimum of 4 participants - Maximum of 18

Pee Wee Clinic: Ages 3-4

Time: 5:00 – 5:30 p.m. Fee: \$49

Junior Clinic, Beginner/Advanced Beginner: Ages 5-7

Time: 5:30 – 6:30 p.m. Fee: \$79

Junior Clinic, Beginner/Advanced Beginner: Ages 8-11

Time: 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. Fee: \$79

Tennis Camp

Classes will run **Monday through Thursday with a rain date on Friday**. Camp will be held at the Tennis courts by the High School baseball fields.

Session 1: July 11 – July 14 Rain date: 7/15

Session 2: July 25 – July 28 Rain date: 7/29

Pee Wee Tennis Camp - ages 3 - 4: This action packed class offers children a fun introduction to the sport of tennis. Class time will emphasize forehand, backhand and volleys in game situations. Minimum of 3 per class, maximum of 10.

Time: 9:00 – 9:30 a.m. Fee: \$49

Junior Tennis Camp - ages 5-7, 8-11 & 12-15: Campers will learn a different stroke each day. This camp includes instruction on the forehand, backhand, serve and volley in game situations. There is also an optional cross-training component to this camp to facilitate coordination as well as improve endurance.

USTA 10 and under tennis Match Play will be played on a modified court with tennis balls designed for their specific skill level. This will provide players with an opportunity to play "real" tennis and learn the rules of the game. **Children should bring a NUT free snack.**

Time: 9:30 am – 12:30 pm Fee: \$159

Bring your own racquet or racquets are available for sale through instructors.



****Weekend cancellations/after hours at 203-283-5629***

Skyhawks Sports Camps

Skyhawks Summer Sports Camp

Under the expert care of our sports camp coaches, kids not only learn individual sport-oriented skills, but also develop personally and socially, all while learning teamwork and building character and life skills through sports.

REGISTRATION IS ONLINE AT:

www.skyhawks.com

Skyhawks registration forms are also available at the Bethel Parks & Recreation Office.

Mini-Hawk – This baseball, basketball, and soccer program gives young children a fun and positive first step in athletics.

Ages: 4-7 yrs Dates: 6/20 – 6/24 Time: 9am – 12pm

Fee: \$115 residents/\$130 non-res.

Place: Berry School Fields

Multi-Sport Camp – This camp is designed to introduce young athletes to a variety of different sports in one setting. The rules and essential skills of each sport will be taught.

Ages: 7-10 yrs Dates: 6/20 – 6/24 Time: 9am – 1pm

Fee: \$115 residents/\$130 non-res.

Place: Berry School Fields

Beginning Golf Camp – Boys & girls will learn the fundamentals of swinging, putting and body positioning. Using the SNAG (Starting New At Golf) system, we have simplified instruction so that young players can make an effective transition onto the golf course. All equipment provided.

Ages: 5-8 yrs Dates: 7/5 – 7/8 Time: 9am – 12pm

Fee: \$89 residents/\$104 non-res.

Place: Berry School Fields

Flag Football Camp -- Skyhawks flag football is the perfect program for boys and girls who want a complete introduction to America's Game or for those who simply want to brush up on their skills in preparation for league play.

Ages: 7-10 yrs Dates: 7/18-7/22 Time: 9am – 12pm

Fee: \$115 residents/\$130 non-res.

Place: Bethel Middle School/Benzing Field

Basketball Camp - This fun, skill-intensive program is designed for beginning to intermediate players. An active week of passing, shooting, dribbling and rebounding makes this one of our most popular programs. Boys and girls will learn vital life lessons such as respect, teamwork and responsibility.

Grades K-2 Dates: 8/1-8/5 Time: 9am – 12pm

Fee: \$115 residents/\$130 non-res.

Place: Bethel High School Gym

Grades 3-5 Dates: 8/1-8/5 Time: 9am – 3pm

Fee: \$135 residents/\$150 non-res.

Place: Bethel High School Gym

Summer Playground Camp 2016

Registration begins **Monday, April 25, 2016** at the Parks & Recreation office during regular business hours from 8:30a.m. – 4:30p.m. or on-line at www.bethel-ct.gov.

Non-residents may register starting Monday, May 2, 2016.

A camp day may exist of indoor and outdoor activities, arts and crafts, games, offsite trips, as well as onsite entertainment and activities. All participants will receive a schedule of events, permission slips and information about the program.

New Weekly Pricing

All Camps run for 6 individual weeks. You will be able to register by the week.

A Discount of \$25 will apply if registered for 3 or 4 weeks.

A Discount of \$50 will apply if registered for 5 or 6 weeks.

A Family discount of \$25 per week will apply for each additional child registered.

Playground camps are for Bethel residents and Non-residents for an extra fee of \$15.00

Camp Dates:

Week #1 June 27-July 1

Week #2 July 5-July 8 *

Week #3 July 11-July 15

Week #4 July 18-July 22

Week #5 July 25-July 29

Week #6 August 1-August 5

***NO CAMP MONDAY, JULY 4TH**

| CAMP | AGE/GRADE | LOCATION | HOURS | EXTENDED DAY/FEE |
|--|--|------------------|--------------|--|
| PRESCHOOL CAMP Fee per week: \$125 Week 2 fee: \$100 no camp on 7/4 | 3-5yrs by Dec. 31, 2016 Must be potty trained. | Johnson School | 9am –12:00pm | Mon.- Fri. 12-2:00pm Fee per week: \$85 Week 2 fee: 70 |
| JUNIOR CAMP Fee per week: \$175 Week 2 Fee: \$150 no camp on 7/4 | Entering grades 1 – 3 | Rockwell School | 9am – 3pm | Mon.-Fri. 8-9am Fee per week: \$40 Week 2 fee: \$35 Extended am drop off is at Middle School |
| SENIOR CAMP Fee per week: \$175 Week 2 Fee: \$150 no camp on 7/4 | Entering grades 4 – 6 | Middle School | 9am – 3pm | Mon.-Fri. 8-9am Fee per week: \$40 Week 2 fee: \$35 Extended am drop off is at Middle School |
| TEEN CAMP Fee per week: \$175 Week 2 Fee: \$150 no camp on 7/4 | Entering grades 7 – 9 | Municipal Center | 9am – 3pm | NO EXTENDED DAY AM OR PM |

Summer's Best and Summer School

Fee: \$115 – Arriving at 12 noon (**if you will be arriving at noon, please contact office to register**)

Fee: Full price arriving at 10:00 a.m.

Financial Aid

Many people find themselves facing temporary or even long term financial hardship, making it seem impossible to afford the costs of an activity for their child/children. If you would like to apply for a partial scholarship, please let Parks and Recreation know you need help.

Assistance is available by making an **appointment** to see the Director of Social Services, Jennifer Lawlor. This can be done by calling 203-794-8537 or send an email to lawlorj@bethel-ct.gov at Social Services. You must provide proof of residency as well as financial documentation to be considered for financial aid. After doing this, please bring the letter from Social Services to the Parks and Rec. Dept. to register your child for camp.

Please Note: Effective January 2016 we will only be offering assistance for **one class/program per child** for each Parks and Recreation Session: Winter, Spring, Summer and Fall.

BYSA SUMMER CAMP 2016



www.bethelsoccer.org

www.uksocca.com

August 8th – 12th at the Berry School Fields

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| Mini Camp | (Ages 4-6) | 9AM-10:30AM | \$71 per player |
| Half Day Program | (Ages 5-14) | 9AM-12:00PM | \$109 per player |
| Full Day Program | (Ages 7-14) | 9AM-3:00PM | \$164 per player |

BYSA is once again proud to announce its continued partnership with U.K. International this year for our soccer camp. After developing a fantastic relationship with U.K. International in our travel program and the great response to last 8 years summer camps we are glad to welcome them back for our summer program. Many new concepts, techniques, drills and fun new ideas on how to improve soccer skills will be introduced.

U.K. International is renowned for their ability to consistently create "The Best Possible Soccer Experience" in a safe, educational and fun environment.

Comments from past camps:

"Always my son's favorite camp-now it's my daughters too. Great job!"

"My son loved it, learned the rules and has more interest in soccer now."

"My daughter is having a great time. Coaches are enthusiastic and encouraging"

Registrations can be done at the Parks and Recreation office during normal business hours or online at the UK International website www.uksocca.com. Registration #82068061. Registration ends July 31, 2016.

For additional information contact:

BYSA Camp Coordinator: Tasha Mascioli 203-470-5326 mascioli4boys@yahoo.com

FREE! – 8th Annual BYSA Summer Soccer Nights - 2016

July 5th – July 28th, 2016 at Rourke Field

Tuesday & Thursday Nights 6:30-8PM - **FREE Pickup Soccer games** for **ALL kids ages 7-12 years old**

Organized pick up soccer games will be put together each night based on # of kids and ages. These are intended to let kids get out and free play for FUN. Adult supervision will be on site, but games will not be officiated. ALL PLAYERS THAT WISH TO PARTICIPATE MUST COMPLETE A BYSA REGISTRATION FORM AND LIABILITY RELEASE, IN ORDER TO PLAY. Registration forms are available at the Parks and Recreation office or at the BYSA web site: www.bethelsoccer.org

For additional information contact:

Soccer Night Coordinator: Eric Larson 203-730-0001 larsonet@gmail.com

BETHEL BASEBALL CAMP & Connecticut Baseball Connections

Presents Jim Penders Connecticut Baseball School

Who: Players ages 7 to 13 years old
What: Baseball, Baseball, Baseball
Where: Mitchell Park, Bethel, CT
When: July 11 to 14 (rain date 7/15/2016)
Time: 9AM to 1PM
Why: Learn the game of baseball and have fun!
Cost: \$235 per player

Motivators & Teachers

Doug Goodrich, Bethel Baseball Camp Director for 33 years. Former High School and College Coach
Jim Penders, Head Baseball Coach, University of Connecticut Huskies
Jeff Hourigan, Hitting Coach, Recruiting Coordinator, University of Connecticut Huskies
Chris Petersen, Former U of Hartford Player & Coach. Director of Instruction Newtown Babe Ruth
Ted Hurvul, Pitching Coach, Fairfield University Stags
David Fradkin, Former U of Connecticut Player
Marek Drabinski, Former Brown University Head Coach and Atlanta Braves Player
College and High School Players

Emphasis is on fundamental development, team play, attitude, concentration and effort *
Written evaluations for each player * 7:1 camper to instructor ratio * 4 well manicured fields at Mitchell Park * Special guest appearances * Official camp tee shirt * Prizes and Awards *
Our goal is to have each student leave our camp a stronger baseball player and a better leader both on and off the field.

[Click Here For Registration Form](#)

Make checks payable to: Connecticut Baseball Connections and mail to Chris Petersen, 52 Lookout Drive, Sandy Hook, CT 06482. For more information please call 203-448-0896 or e-mail cpetersen@ridgefield.org

**Limited Enrollment
Register Today**

Players need to bring:
**Glove, Bat, Cleats, Sneakers, Hat,
Lunch, Water Bottle, Sun Screen**



Registration in online at

<https://docs.google.com/a/ridgefieldps.net/forms/d/1kp2dk0fNac9DqP4qwDxMHLtQFHRz6mL3K0U-7euehUg/viewform>

Bethel Supercross BMX

Mitchell Park - Old Hawleyville Road.....go to www.bethelbmx.com for more information

Behind the baseball fields



BETHEL SUPERCROSS BMX - 2016 SCHEDULE

Don Olson, President 203-744-7962 (home)

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| March | Work days | Saturdays & Sundays weather permitting | |
| April | Work days Practice Practice Practice | Saturdays & Sundays Saturday: 23 Wednesday: 27 Saturday: 30 | 1 – 3 PM 6 – 8 PM 1 – 3 PM |
| May | Practice Race | Mondays: 9 , 16 , 23 Wednesdays: 4 , 11 , 18 , 25 (Warnicke Race the 25 th) Double point | |
| June | Practice Race | Mondays: 6, 13, 20, 27 Wednesdays: 1 , 8 , 15 , 22 , 29 (Olympic Day – June 22nd) Single point | |
| July | Practice Race | Mondays : 11 , 18 , 25 Wednesdays: 13 , 20 , 27 , 29 , 30 (Gold Cup Qualifier & SCR Double Pointer & Track Triple - July 30) | |
| August | Practice Race | Mondays: 8, 15 , 22 Wednesdays: 3 , 10 , 17 , 24 , 31 (Race for Life August 10 th) | |

Race Season at Bethel ends August 31st.

Bethel September Races Sundays as announced

Bethel October Races Sundays as announced



www.bethelsoccer.org P.O. Box 178, Bethel, CT 06801

2016 Fall Intown Registration

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| Intown Registration | <i>Begins</i> at the Spring Soccer Picnic, June 11, 2016. Pay with credit card on the Bethel Soccer website: www.bethelsoccer.org until August 28 th , 2016. |
| Ages | 4 ½ by the start of the season through 8 th grade. |
| Amount | \$80 per child (\$160 per family maximum - excluding travel soccer fees). Checks should be made payable to "BYSA". Late registrations are subject to space limitations. |

The *Intown Recreational Program* has various leagues broken down by age group starting with the beginners learning the basics of soccer through fun, interactive ballgames and small field competitions and continuing through our full field leagues for children up through the 8th grade.

For additional information contact:

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| Girls Director: | Nick Vitti, Jr. | 203-297-3356 | nvittijr@yahoo.com |
| Boys Director: | Kevin Kurtz | | kwkurtz@gmail.com |
| Intown Program Director: | Matt Chamberlain | 203-744-0324 | mattchamberln@aol.com |

BYSA 2016-2017 Travel Team Tryouts

CJSA Recognized Age Divisions for the Seasonal Year 2016 – 2017

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|----------|--------------------|----------|-------------------|
| Under 9 | 1-1-08 to 12-31-09 | Under 12 | 1-1-05 to 7-31-05 |
| Under 10 | 1-1-07 to 12-31-07 | Under 13 | 1-1-04 to 7-31-04 |
| Under 11 | 1-1-06 to 12-31-06 | Under 14 | 1-1-03 to 7-31-03 |

Tryouts will be scheduled as follows and further details will be distributed at a later date.

Wednesday, June 1st (Rain date June 8th)

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| Boys U9, Boys U10, Girls U9, Girls U10, Girls U11, & Girls U12 | 5:00–6:30PM @ Rourke Field |
| Boys U11, Boys U12, Boys U13, Boys U14, Girls U13, & Girls U14 | 6:30–8:00PM @ Rourke Field |

Friday, June 3rd (Rain date June 8th)

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| Boys U9, Boys U10, Girls U9, Girls U10, Girls U11, & Girls U12 | 5:00–6:30PM @ Rourke Field |
| Boys U11, Boys U12, Boys U13, Boys U14, Girls U13, & Girls U14 | 6:30–8:00PM @ Rourke Field |

For additional information please contact betheltravelsoccer@gmail.com.



BETHEL BASEBALL ASSOCIATION

www.bethel-baseball.com

FALL BASEBALL 2016

All registrations will be done ONLINE.

If you require financial aid please contact Kurt Dyer at kurtrdyer@aol.com

ONLINE REGISTRATION: www.bethel-baseball.com

THERE ARE NO REFUNDS.

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| FEES: | Tee | 4-5 YR. OLD | \$125.00 |
| | Rookie Prep | 6 – 7 YR. OLD | \$135.00 |
| | Rookie | 7-8 YR. OLD | \$150.00 |
| | Minors | 9 – 10 YR. OLD | \$150.00 |
| | Majors | 11 – 12 YR. OLD | \$150.00 |
| | Babe Ruth | 13 - 15 YR. OLD | \$175.00 |

FAMILY FEE FOR BETHEL RESIDENTS ONLY - \$240.00

PLEASE VOLUNTEER

MANAGERS/COACHES ARE NEEDED IN ALL LEAGUES – LET US KNOW ON REGISTRATION NIGHT.
PARENTS ARE ALSO NEEDED TO ASSIST IN RUNNING YOUR CONCESSION STAND.

For more information please go to the Bethel Baseball Website.

BUSINESSES

SIGN AND TEAM ADVERTISEMENTS ARE AVAILABLE AT MITCHELL PARK – please email:
dans43@att.net



MAY-AUGUST, 2016 PROGRAMS AT THE BETHEL PUBLIC LIBRARY

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| April 30 | 2:00-3:30 | **Teen Arduino Classes.* 6 sessions: April 30, May 7, 14, 21, June 4 & 11. |
| May 1 | 2:00-3:00 | Books and Bricks for Kids.* |
| May 2 | 6:00-7:30 | iPad Basics Class.* |
| May 4 | 10:30-11:00 | Spring Pre-School Storytime-For kids ages 3-5 without adults. May 4, 11 & 18. |
| May 4 | 6:00-8:15 | Celebrate Star Wars Day with the movie The Force Awakens. Rated PG-13.* |
| May 5 | 5:00-6:00 | **Intro to 3D Printing for Teens Grades 6-12.* May 5 and June 13 6:30-7:30. |
| May 6 | 10:30-11:00 | Spring Terrific Twos Program-2 year olds with an adult. May 6 & 13. |
| May 7 | 1:00-3:00 | Coloring for Adults.* May 7 & May 12 2:00-4:00. |
| May 7 | 2:00-3:30 | Spices and Seasons of Indian Flavors.* |
| May 11 | 6:30-7:30 | Knights Chess Club-kids Grades 4-7 who understand the rules of the game.* |
| May 11 | 6:00-8:05 | Movie: The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel. Rated PG-13.* |
| May 12 | 6:00-8:00 | Movie: The Second Best Exotic Marigold Hotel. Rated PG.* |
| May 14 | 10:30-11:00 | Family Storytime-For kids ages 3-8 with a parent/caregiver and siblings. |
| May 16 | 6:30-7:00 | PJ Storytimes-for kids ages 3-8 without parent/caregiver. |
| May 16 | 6:30-7:30 | Author Talk: Reckless, the Marine Corps Horse.* |
| May 18 | 6:00-7:45 | Writers Group Meeting for Adults age 21+.* May 18 and June 15. |
| May 19 | 4:30-5:30 | Magic Tree House Storycraft Adventure Hour-for kids Grades 1-3.* |
| May 19 | 6:00-7:45 | **littleBits-Teen program for Grades 6-12.* |
| May 23 | 6:30-7:45 | Evening Book Discussion: A Walk in the Woods by Bill Bryson |
| May 25 | 10:15-11:30 | Morning Book Discussion: A Walk in the Woods by Bill Bryson |
| May 25 | 6:30-7:30 | Pages Chess Club-kids Grades 1-3 who understand rules of the game.* |
| May 26 | 5:00-6:00 | **MaKey MaKey-Teen program for Grades 6-12.* May 26 and June 23 6:15-7:15. |
| June 1 | 6:00-8:00 | Classic Movie: A Midsummer Nights Dream. This DVD is Not Rated.* |
| June 2 | 6:00-7:45 | **Squishy Circuits-Teen program for Grades 6-12.* |
| June 6 | 6:30-7:45 | iPad Special Topics.* June 6, July 11 and August 1. |
| June 6 | 6:30-7:45 | Songs and Stories for Grownups with Lenny Levine.* |
| June 8 | 6:00-8:20 | Summer Movie Series: Broadway at Bethel!* June 8, 23, July 6, 20, August 10 & 24. |
| June 9 | 6:15-7:45 | **Raspberry Pi for Teens Grades 6-12.* |
| June 16 | 6:30-7:30 | Unleash Your Personal Power. Presented by Daphne Clarke-Hudson, PHD.* |
| June 18 | 1:00-2:00 | Teen Tie Dye.* |
| June 22 | 6:30-7:45 | Quarterly Classic Book Discussion: A Midsummer Night's Dream by W. Shakespeare. |
| June 24 | 10:00-12:00 | Children's Summer Reading Kickoff Program-On Your Mark, Get Set...Read! |
| June 24 | 2:00-3:00 | Teen Summer Reading Kickoff: Tie Dye.* |
| June 25 | 10:15-11:45 | Poetry Group.* |
| June 25 | 10:30-2:30 | Teen & Tween Babysitting Course* (ages 10 and up). |
| June 27 | All Day | On Your Mark, Get Set...Read! Summer Reading Program.* Until August 6 |
| June 27 | online | Get in the Game...Read. For teens entering Grades 6-12*. Until August 6. |
| June 27 | 6:30-7:45 | Evening Book Discussion: Death Comes for the Archbishop by Willa Cather. |
| June 29 | 10:15-11:30 | Morning Book Discussion: Death Comes for the Archbishop by Willa Cather. |
| June 29 | 11:30-12 | Lunch Bunch Storytime-Kids 3-8 without adults. June 29, July 6, 13, 20, 27 & Aug. 3. |
| June 30 | 10:30-4:00 | Summer Craft Day-Kids all ages with an adult. June 30, July 7, 14, 21, 28 & August 4. |
| June 30 | 6:00-7:30 | Teen Library Scavenger Hunt & Pizza.* |
| July 13 | 2:00-3:00 | Teen Crafts.* July 13, 20, 27, August 3 & 10. |
| July 25 | 6:30-7:45 | Evening Book Discussion: Moonwalking With Einstein by Joshua Foer. |
| July 26 | 1:30-3:00 | Kids Movie Day: Film TBA.* |
| July 27 | 10:15-11:30 | Morning Book Discussion: Moonwalking With Einstein by Joshua Foer. |
| August 29 | 6:30-7:45 | Evening Book Discussion: The Space Between Us by Thrity Umrigar. |
| August 31 | 10:15-11:30 | Morning Book Discussion: The Space Between Us by Thrity Umrigar. |
| | | Call (203) 794-8756 ext. 4 for more information, or go to www.bethellibrary.org. |

*Requires registration.

Most programs take place in the Maria Parloa Community Room, Cady R. Morse Conference Room, and the Children's Programming Room at the Library, 189 Greenwood Avenue.

**Sponsored by the Connecticut State Library and the Institute for Museum and Library Services.

All programs sponsored by the Bethel Public Library are open to the public, and meet accessibility requirements for the disabled. Those needing special accommodations should contact the library at least two weeks before the program date.





JOHN DEMILLE 51st ANNUAL FIRECRACKER 8K ROAD RACE MONDAY, JULY 4th 2016



SPONSORED BY: BETHEL PARKS & RECREATION

ALL RACE PROCEEDS GO TO: *SCOTTY FUND AND BEN'S BELLS*

TIME: 8:00 a.m. Kids Mini Cracker Races: 3-9 years old
9:00 a.m. 8K Road Race

LOCATION: 1 SCHOOL STREET
Clifford J. Hurgin Municipal Center
Bethel, CT 06801

ENTRY FEE: Road Race Pre-Registered \$25.00, after June 24th through race day \$30.00
60+ Racers \$20.00
Kids Mini Cracker \$5.00

AMENITIES: Tech Shirt and Race packets to first 400 'Pre-registered' runners.
*Pick up of Shirt & packet is day of race only.

T-shirts to first 100 Mini Cracker runners.

*Mini Cracker shirt sizes are limited and will be allotted on a first come first serve basis,
therefore for "Mini Cracker" only, shirt sizes are not guaranteed.

\$200.00 Cash Prize to the first place male and first place female to complete the road race.

\$100.00 Cash Prize to the second place male and second place female to complete the road race.

\$50.00 Cash Prize to the third place male and third place female to complete the road race.

Woodbridge Running Company/Brookfield gift certificate to the top finishers in each category and
to the first Bethel Male and Bethel Female to complete the road race.

Awards given to top three male and female runners in each of the following age category:

14 & under, 15-18, 19-29, 30-39, 40-49, 50-59, 60-69 and 70+

Chip timing and split time, with finish time posted at the end of road race by Fast Track Timing, LLC.

Water stations and refreshments will be available to all participants.

Musical Entertainment!

REGISTRATION: Online Registration: <http://register.fasttracktiming.com> (till 12:00pm on July 1st)

Mail Application and Entry Fee to: Eileen Earle, Race Director
Bethel Parks & Recreation 203-794-8531
1 School Street
Bethel, CT 06801

Make checks payable to: Bethel Parks & Recreation

In consideration of acceptance of this entry, I, the undersigned, Intending to be legally bound, do hereby, for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators, waive and release any and all rights and claims for damages I may have against any and all race sponsors, or the cities and towns in which the race is contested, their representatives, successor or assignee, for any and all injuries suffered by me in said event. I attest and verify that I am physically fit and sufficiently trained for completion of this event and a licensed Medical Doctor has verified my physical condition within the last six months. Further, I hereby grant full permission to any and all of the foregoing to use my photographs, videotapes, motion pictures, recordings, or any other record of this event for any purpose whatever without compensation or remuneration. Have a fun race!

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ Sex: Male/Female _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Road Race: _____ Kids Mini Cracker Race: _____

Running shirt: S _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____ Age on Race Day: _____ Adult Date of Birth: _____

Mini Cracker T-shirt sizes: S (6-8) _____ M (8-10) _____ L (12-14) _____ Child's Date of Birth: _____

How did you hear about this race? _____

Signature: _____ Race # _____

(Parent if under 18)



*Join us for our 51st
Road Race on the
4th of July!*

